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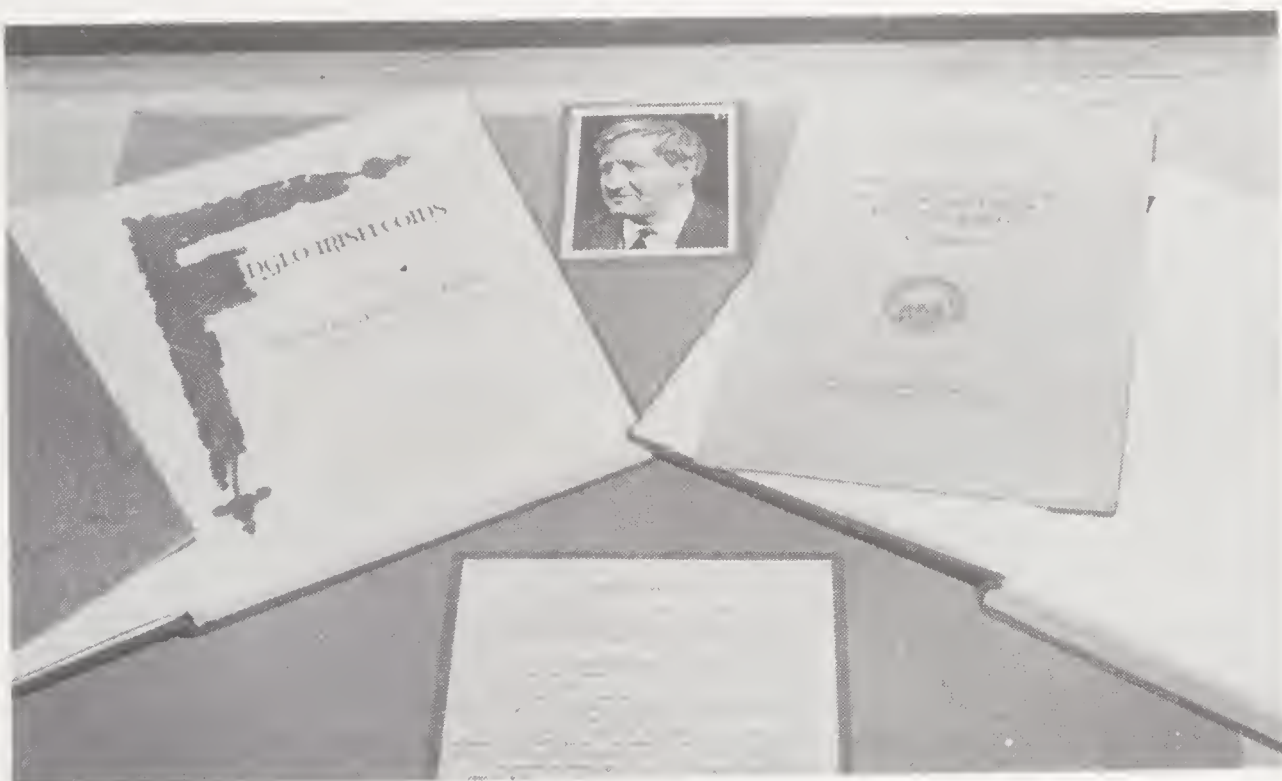
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Michael Dolley Huntington Medallist

Michael Dolley, the distinguished Irish medieval scholar, has been awarded the Society's Archer M. Huntington Medal for 1982. Presentation of the award, given for outstanding achievement in numismatic scholarship, was made at the ANS Annual Meeting on January 8.

Citation by Buttrey

Theodore Buttrey, Chairman of the Huntington Award Committee presented the award on behalf of the Society's Council.

"Since the Second World War a revolution has occurred in our understanding of the coinages of Northern Europe in the Central Middle Ages. While our new knowledge results from unparalleled cooperation among schol-

ars of many nations, one individual has had a role of single importance in exciting and coordinating these important studies, Dr. Michael Dolley.

"Largely as a result of the standards set by Dr. Dolley's example, medieval numismatics has achieved recognition for methodological and historical sophistication on a level long associated with the study of Greek and Roman coinage. Beginning in his years as Assistant Keeper in the Department of Coins and Medals of the British Museum, Michael Dolley has pursued the minute and demanding examination of individual coins which is the starting point of every numismatic endeavor. From the rigorous analysis of die relationships and style he has been able to draw far-reaching conclusions on the

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The Society's 125th Anniversary Celebration will take place September 9-10, 1983, at Audubon Terrace, headquarters of the ANS. Highlights include a two-day symposium on the theme "Numismatics and History—Methodological Approaches" and the opening of *The World of Coins*, a major new exhibition featuring the role of money in the development of the diverse cultures of our world. September will also mark the publication of *The American Numismatic Society, 1958-1983*, supplementing the centennial history volume issued in 1958 and *American Numismatic Society Directory of Graduate Seminar Alumni*, providing biographical information on the 329 students who have attended this annual program since its inception in 1952. The specially commissioned anniversary medal, created by Marcel Jovine, will also be issued on September 9.

Symposium Organizers

Theodore Buttrey, a member of the Society's Council, and William Metcalf, ANS Chief Curator, have organized the symposium which brings together scholars from this country and abroad whose current work exemplifies the sound application of various research methodologies to the solution of historical problems. In addition to the speakers, three discussants have been invited to comment at the end of each session, and further discussion will be encouraged.

FUNDING THE CELEBRATION

"You will enjoy our 125th Anniversary Celebration much more if you know you helped bring it about" is the way Society President Harry Bass expressed

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Photo by Michael Bates

PAUL BALOG, 1900-1982

At the Annual Meeting of the Society, Michael Bates addressed the following remarks to the memory of Paul Balog.

"Dr. Paul Balog, one of the greatest names in Islamic numismatic scholarship in our time, died in Rome on November 6, 1982. He left to us fundamental works on every phase of his principal field of interest, the numismatic history of Islamic Egypt from the seventh to the sixteenth centuries, as well as numerous studies of other subjects.

"Paul Balog was born in 1900 in Budapest and was trained as a physician. In 1924 he went to Egypt, where he became Director of the Laboratory of the Italian Hospital, a position he held until his retirement in 1961. As a result of his long service, he was granted Italian citizenship, so that he could emigrate to Rome in 1964, where he lived until his death.

"His long-standing interest in Oriental archaeology found wide scope in Egypt. In the early 1940s, under the influence of Marcel Jungfleisch, another eminent Islamic numismatist, Balog's collecting interest began to narrow to Islamic numismatics. In 1949 he published his first numismatic article, on the method of manufacture of some small debased Egyptian coins he had found in the bazaar. Throughout his numismatic career Balog's sympathy was always extended to such small, humble objects of billon, copper, or glass, and it was this special sympathy that led to many of his most original contributions.

Balog's first article was followed by a flood of works averaging two to four per year for the rest of his life, with several set to press. After his death we received another manuscript for the Society, a journal which has been accep-

ted and is likely to be his last publication.

"His name is best known for his major catalogues which will be standard references for years to come. The first and second were published by the Society: *The Coinage of the Mamlūk Sultans of Egypt and Syria*, NS 12, 1964, and *Umayyad, 'Abbāsid and Tulunid Glass Weights and Vessel Stamps*, NS 13, 1976. His third monograph, *The Coinage of the Ayyubids*, was published by the Royal Numismatic Society in 1980. With these three works, he covered much of the numismatic history of Egypt from the Arab conquest to the Turkish conquest, and what his catalogues did not include was touched upon in one or more of his articles, among which the most important are his early studies of mint technology, his listing of the issues of the Ikhshīdids, his corpus of the Arabic coinages of the Crusaders (written jointly with the late Jacques Yvon), his catalogue of the glass "jetons," as he called them, of the Fātimids, and his many other articles on glass and bronze weights. In his later years in Italy, he became interested in the Arab and Arabic Norman coinages of Sicily, producing several important contributions on those series.

"Many new discoveries are attributable to his keen mind and eye, but he was not concerned only with reports of novelties. His broad surveys and corpuses are indispensable bases for students of any aspect of medieval Egyptian coinage and monetary history.

"Balog's many numismatic recognitions include Honorary Membership of the International Numismatic Commission, the medals of the Royal Numismatic Society and the Société Française de Numismatique, as well as the Archer M. Huntington Medal and Corresponding Membership in the ANS, both in 1972.

"Balog's last illness began in May, when he travelled with friends from Rome by car to Budapest for his first visit in over 40 years. The trip was more than his heart could bear, and he had to spend his time in Budapest in bed. Not by coincidence, his visit to Budapest came at the same time as the annual meeting of the Bureau of the International Numismatic Commission, which I attended, so that I was fortunate enough to spend much of those few days with him. Although gasping for breath, he could not resist long conversations about his beloved numismatics, including plans and questions for his future research. After flying back to Rome, he recovered somewhat over the summer, but never regained his health. His death

six months later was not a surprise, but nevertheless a great loss to all who knew him. He will be remembered by, or not only for his great contributions to numismatic scholarship, but also for his sweet unassuming personality and his sympathetic interest in the work of his colleagues.

"Balog's magnificent collection of glass weights was donated to the Society in 1974 and 1975. As a result of those donations, he was eligible for designation as a Benefactor of the Society, but his modesty consistently prevented him from accepting this recognition. I am glad to be able to announce that this omission has been remedied by the Society's Council, so that Balog's name will soon be incised in stone in our entranceway. The designation does us more honor than we can do him.

"I would like to ask that we all stand for a moment of silence in tribute to a great personality and a great numismatist."

MANUSCRIPT COMPETITION ANNOUNCED

The Royal Belgian Numismatic Society will award its Quadrennial Prize to the author of a scientific, original, unpublished manuscript relating to numismatics or sigillography. The paper must be at least 100 typewritten pages in length and may be written in French, Dutch, English or German.

Entries must be submitted to the RBNS by November 1, 1984, and the prize, amounting to 40.000 bfr. will be awarded in 1985.

Further information and application procedures may be obtained by writing Dr. Maurice Colaert, Chairman, RBNS, Av Winston Churchill 58, Bte.17, 1180 Brussels, Belgium.

EXHIBIT HALLS CLOSING

The Society's West Hall will be closed to the public immediately following the Spring Meeting on April 9, 1983. The interior of the hall will be completely dismantled to make way for the new display units being constructed for *The World of Coins* which opens September 10.

The East Hall will be closed from July 1 to prepare for installation of the Medallic Sculpture Exhibit which opens on October 1.

SEMINAR, FELLOWSHIP DEADLINE MARCH 1

Candidates for participation in the Society's 31st Annual Graduate Seminar in Numismatics are reminded that completed applications must be received at the Society by March 1, including the letters of recommendation solicited by the candidate.

Applicants must have completed at least one year's graduate study in Classics, Archaeology, History, Art History, Economic History, or other related disciplines. Junior faculty members with a degree in one of these fields are also eligible. Grants in aid of \$900, provided by Mr. and Mrs. Eric P. Newman, are awarded to the ten students selected for participation in the seminar.

March 1 is also the deadline for applications for the Society's Fellowship for the academic year 1983/4. Announcements of both the seminar participants and the Fellowship recipient will be made by April 1. Applications are available directly from the Society.



JONES PRESENTS COIN

Elizabeth Jones, Chief Engraver and Sculptor of the United States, presented the ANS with a proof specimen of the Washington Commemorative half dollar at the Society's Annual Meeting. President Harry Bass accepted the gift on behalf of the ANS.

Miss Jones, who created the coin, was an honored guest at the Society's meeting and examined the ANS collection of medals with Society Associate Curator Alan Stahl.

THREE ELECTED TO COUNCIL

The three incumbent Council members were elected to new five-year terms at the Society's Annual Meeting: Arthur Houghton, Associate Curator at the J. Paul Getty Museum and a member of the Standing Committee on Greek Coins; Samuel R. Milbank, Honorary President for Life of the Society and a member of the Executive and Finance Committees; and Eric P. Newman, St. Louis businessman, Chairman of the Standing Committee on Modern Coinage and Currencies and a member of the Huntington Medal Award Committee.

Luce Resigns

At the January Council meeting, the resignation of T. James Luce as a member of the Council and Second Vice President of the Society was received and accepted with regret. Mr. Luce, Professor of Classics and Chairman of the Department of Classics at Princeton University, continues as a member of the Standing Committee on Publications.

OFFICERS ELECTED

At the Society corporate reorganization meeting, held following the Annual Meeting, officers were elected to one-year terms. Officers for 1983 are: Harry Bass, Jr., President; Harry W. Fowler, First Vice-President; Roger A. Hornsby, Second Vice-President; Leslie A. Elam, Director and Secretary; John D. Leggett, Jr., Treasurer; John H. Greenfieldt, Assistant Treasurer.

Committees Appointed

The Executive Committee of the Council consists of Harry W. Bass, Jr., Chairman, Harry W. Fowler, Roger A. Hornsby, John D. Leggett, Jr., Baldwin Maull, and Mrs. Marion G. Russell. The Finance Committee members are Harry W. Fowler, Chairman, Harry W. Bass, Jr., John D. Leggett, Jr., Baldwin Maull, and R. Henry Norweb, Jr. Samuel R. Milbank serves as member emeritus of both committees.



Photo by Kobé, Vienna

Hahn Visiting Scholar

Wolfgang Hahn, Vice-Chairman of the Numismatic Commission at the Austrian Academy of Sciences in Vienna, will be the Visiting Scholar in residence during the 1983 Graduate Seminar. Dr. Hahn, who has written extensively on Byzantine and medieval numismatic topics, will aid the Society's curatorial staff in counseling the students as well as presenting lectures during the period of the seminar.



AMELIA ZALCMAN JOINS EDITORIAL STAFF

Amelia Zalcmán joined the ANS staff December 1 as Assistant Editor, assuming responsibility for the Society's semiannual bibliography, *Numismatic Literature*.

Ms Zalcmán, a 1982 graduate of Barnard College majoring in ancient studies, is a native of Boston now residing in New York City.

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chronology, geography and volume of many series of medieval coinages. No individual specimen has been deemed unworthy of serious consideration; a nominal and previously scantied pieces have been the source of some of his most perceptive insights.

To set each coin in its context he has scoured archives and obscure publications and established inventories of hoards long since forgotten or dispersed. Through the study of such evidence he has succeeded in restructuring our understanding of the chronology of many of the coinages of the age—from Anglo-Saxon and Norman English to Hiberno-Norse, Northumbrian and Scandinavian. Coins previously dismissed as barbaric or marginal have been accorded their rightful importance in his elucidation of the complex patterns of minting and circulation. From numismatic analysis Dr. Dolley has moved effortlessly to historical inquiry, mining published and manuscript sources for evidence to aid in the understanding of the coinages and their relationship to the political and economic contexts of their production and use.

"It is in the field of scholarly publication that Michael Dolley's accomplishments are most obvious. Few numismatists have produced such an extensive bibliography of such consistently high quality and importance—the card file of the Society's library includes over 330 entries under his name. One can make only a passing reference to his monograph on the coinage of Aethelred II which established the now accepted concept of sexennial alteration of coin types, his important chronology for the Viking coinage of York, his recognition of the series of coins issued on the Isle of Man, and his introduction to the British Museum Sylloge of Hiberno-Norse coins which will stand as the definitive treatment of this series. Not only the numismatic scholar has benefited from his fluid and witty writing; medieval historians have been made aware of the contribution of numismatics to their field with his synthetic works on Anglo-Norman Ireland and on Aethelred the Unready. For the serious collector and general reader, Dr. Dolley has distilled his encyclopaedic knowledge into a series of readable and stimulating booklets for the British Museum and his valuable history of medieval Anglo-Irish coinage.

Remarkable too has been Dr. Dolley's tireless encouragement of and

MEDALLIC SCULPTURE EXHIBIT AT ANS

An exhibit of contemporary medallic and bas-relief sculpture will be held in New York City from October 1 through December 3, 1983. Sponsored jointly by the American Medallic Sculpture Association and the American Numismatic Society, the exhibit will be held at the ANS museum.

Submissions are being solicited from sculptors throughout the United States and Canada. Entries may include works which have already been issued as medals, new pieces which have not been reproduced, and even designs and models for medallic and bas-relief sculpture. Works may be in any medium, and may be cast, struck, modelled or carved. Each artist will be assigned a maximum area of three square feet for his or her works.

"We are seeking to encourage as wide as possible a range of approaches to low relief sculpture," according to Alan Stahl, Society Associate Curator of Medals. "Some of the works we anticipate showing will already have been produced as medals and plaques. Others will be works that sculptors have produced in the past but have never had an opportunity to show to the public. Still others will be works that have been produced expressly for this exhibit. We hope that this show will provide an opportunity for artists who have been working with low relief to share their accomplishments with the art world in general, and for artists who have never worked in this area to explore its potential."

An illustrated catalogue is planned for the exhibition, and priced pieces, either originals or multiples, will be available for sale to the public. There will be no prizes awarded, but a number of mints and foundries have offered to produce designs chosen from the exhibition. Plans are being made to have all or part of the exhibit travel to other museums or collections in the spring of 1984.

assistance to other scholars. His participation has been of primary importance in the two most significant international undertakings in medieval numismatics in the post-war period: the study and publication of Viking age coin finds in Sweden, and the publication of the series of volumes comprising the Sylloge of Coins of the British Isles. A list

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The ANS has the most comprehensive collection of coins and medals in the United States and has often hosted exhibitions of medallic and bas-relief sculpture.

The American Medallic Sculpture Association is a recently organized group of sculptors and others interested in reviving the field of medallic art. "In addition to sponsoring the fall exhibition," observed sculptor Gary Eriksen, President of AMSA, "our organization serves as a forum whereby sculptors can share and enhance their skills through the exchange of information and techniques. It is a meeting ground for established practitioners of medallic art and artists new to the medium. We are striving to establish medallic sculpture as a viable and profitable art form by showing top quality works to the art-collecting public."

Submissions for the 1983 exhibition are invited from all sculptors residing in the United States and Canada. All entries, in the form of color slides or actual pieces, must be in the hands of the jury by June 4, 1983. Further information and entry forms may be obtained from Dr. Stahl at the Society.

BUSY SPRING FOR STAHL

Alan Stahl, ANS Associate Curator of Medieval Coins, has a busy speaking schedule planned for this spring. On March 26, he presents a paper on "The Obelisk Medals of 1880-81" at the Metropolitan NY Numismatic Convention, and at the Society's Spring Meeting on April 9 he will deliver the Joseph B. and Morton M. Stack Memorial Lecture on "Venetian Coinage in Medieval Greece." In addition, for the 1983 Kalamazoo Congress, Mr. Stahl has organized and will chair the session "Coinage and Money of the Middle Ages," with papers by Constance Berman, Thomas Blomquist and Christine Ryba.

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dell E. Phillips, Jr., Edison, NJ; Felice S. Price, Pleasanton, CA; Mihail S. Romanos, Ithaca, NY; Alain O. Timsit, Casablanca, Morocco; Carmen D. Valentino, Philadelphia, PA; B.M. Weiskopf, Francis, Basel, Switzerland; and James L. Woods, Madison, WI.

Those reinstated are Nabil Aslan, Brussels, Belgium, and Alan S. DeSoto, Metairie, LA.

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our needs to the Annual Meeting audience. The fund-raising goal is \$215,000, of which \$175,000 is for the new exhibition *The World of Coins*. The remainder of the funds provide for the symposium, publication of the *ANS History* volume and *Alumni Directory* as well as production of the anniversary medal. To date, \$130,000 of the necessary funding has been contributed; another \$85,000 is yet to be realized.

Fowler Chairs Drive

Harry Fowler, Chairman of the Society's Finance Committee is overseeing the fund-raising effort which began this past summer with a 100 percent commitment on the part of the Society's Council. According to Mr. Fowler, "Support for this celebration, and the permanent exhibition that will succeed it, must come from a broad cross-section of our membership, from the business community, and from those who appreciate the cultural importance of this exhibit with its wholly new approach to the story of money."

Recognition

The Society will recognize contributors to the celebration in two distinct ways. A bronze tablet will be commissioned to be placed at the entrance to the new exhibition hall bearing the names of contributors in the following categories: Exhibit Benefactors, \$5,000; Exhibit Patrons, \$1,000; Exhibit Donors, \$500. Members and friends enrolled to date are:

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Exhibit Sponsors

In addition, professional numismatists and corporations have been asked to become sponsors of the individual display units comprising the exhibit through a contribution of \$3,500. The response to date has been extremely gratifying with 13 of the 17 cases taken. We are grateful to the following firms for their generous cooperation.

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of the authors with whom he has collaborated would include a good percentage of the major medieval numismatists of our age. Through his editorship of the *British Numismatic Journal* and the important volume of studies on Anglo-Saxon coinage presented to Sir Frank Stenton, Michael Dolley has provided quiet assistance to numerous other scholars. Not the least significant aspect of this sharing of expertise and inspiration has been his tenure of the chair of Historical Numismatics at Queen's University, Belfast, created expressly for him, which he has used as a base for the training of young scholars, many of whom have already

established their own reputations in numismatics.

"It is, finally, fitting that, after the countless honors which he has received in countries in the circulation area of the coinages which he has studied, Dr. Dolley should now receive recognition in this land, which he has added to that area by his recent identification and authentication of the Viking coin found in Maine. We welcome him to the ranks of the Archer M. Huntington medallists, as he has welcomed us into his world of Viking Age numismatics."

Dolley's Acceptance

William Metcalf, Chief Curator of the ANS accepted the medal for Mr. Dolley who was unable to be present. In a letter addressed to Mr. Metcalf following notification of his election, Mr. Dolley wrote, in part:

"For me at least the totally unexpected, if pleasant, is doubly sweet. You may gather, then, my instant euphoria when on one of my bad days my wife brought into me Mr. Metcalf's very kind letter notifying me that the American Numismatic Society had awarded me its Archer M. Huntington Medal for 1982. I can scarcely call into question your collective, indeed unanimous, judgment by suggesting that my second response—that I was quite unworthy, was all



William Metcalf and Theodore Buttrey display Huntington Medal awarded to Michael Dolley in absentia.

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Calendar

March

- 4 Finance Committee meeting, 10:30
Executive Committee meeting, 1:30
- 26 Meeting of Oriental Numismatic Society, Northeastern Chapter, ANS Seminar Room. Michael L. Bates, Guest Speaker, 10:00
Metropolitan NY Numismatic Convention, METAMS Forum, Alan Stahl, Guest Speaker, 1:30

April

- 9 Spring Members Meeting of the Society, Alan M. Stahl, Guest Speaker, 3:00
Council Meeting, 1:30
- 12 West Exhibit Hall closed for re-installation
- 13-16 American Council of Learned Societies Annual Meeting, New York (ANS represented by T.V. Buttrey and L.A. Elam)

May

- 5-8 Eighteenth International Congress on Medieval Studies, Kalamazoo, Michigan (session on "Coinage and Money of the Middle Ages" organized and chaired by Alan Stahl)
- 7 Managing Committee of the American School of Classical Studies at Athens (ANS represented by N.M. Waggoner)

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founded. It was merely that I was overwhelmed by the sheer distinction of the roll of the 62 previous recipients. Virtually all are names known to me, and in the case of surprisingly many, the scholars are known to me personally. Quite a number I am proud to count among my intimates.

"More than one of the recipients of your Medal has laid particular emphasis on the value of your summer seminars which give your fledgling students the opportunity of meeting European *confreres*, not all of them their seniors by more than a very few years, who have completed their apprenticeship in the great coin rooms of Europe. The other side of the coin is the opportunity they afford my professional colleagues, some of them very senior, for sustained reflection. Looking back over the last three decades, I myself realize—too late—that I have been too much of a Martha. Solid books do figure in my bibliography but not enough....Time to think could have enabled me to distil from my scribblings the book whose want I felt particularly keenly when I began to exercise the plenitude of *magisterium* implicit in a university chair. *Où sont les neiges d'antan?*...

"My last niggle is that the ANS apparently having a rule that its Medal should not be awarded to a dead man—and if it is a rule it is by no means necessarily a bad one—has decided with typically American generosity technically to evade the convention by presenting it to me *dum adhuc viventi* so that on my lips as I sink beneath repeated blows may be an inversion of the old imperial acclamation to the dying gladiators—*mortutum viventes te salutant Michael*.

CORRESPONDING, ASSOCIATE MEMBERS ELECTED

Philip D. Whitting of London, England, was elected a Corresponding Member of the ANS at the January Council meeting. Mr. Whitting, an Associate of the Society since 1955, writes frequently on Byzantine coins for *NumCirc* and other publications. In 1973 his *Byzantine Coins* appeared as his contribution to The World of Numismatics series published by Putnam.

Associates

Twenty-nine new Associate Members were elected and two former members were reinstated by the Council in January.

Those elected are Philip C. Aftoora, Rocky River, OH; Burnett Anderson, Washington, DC; Ruth W. Bauer, Philadelphia, PA; Diego Enrique Castano, Alicante, Spain; Michael M. Dzielwski, Stratford, CT; Harry J. Forman, Philadelphia, PA; Albert Harkness, Jr., Wakefield, RI; Roy V. Harrington, Brecksville, OH; Thomas E. Higel, Upper Marlboro, MD; and Paul D. Holtzman, San Francisco, CA.

Also, Serge Huard, Quebec, Canada; Georges Husni, Beirut, Lebanon; Michael G. Iacocca, Philadelphia, PA; Steve Ivy, Dallas, TX; Bob Johnson, Orlando, FL; Jan P. Kritzman, Newington CT; Gene Malcom McGill, Washington, DC; James T. Newlin, St. Clairsville, OH; James O'Keefe, Somerville, MA; and Keith R. Oliver, Bellevue, WA.

Also, Michael Osarczuk, Parma, OH; James E. Packer, Evanston, IL; Wen-

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Preliminary Program

All Sessions will be held in the Library of the American Academy and Institute of Arts and Letters, Audubon Terrace.

Friday, September 9

10:30 WELCOME

12:00 LUNCHEON ON THE TERRACE

1:30-4:30 FIRST SESSION. Chaired by N.W. Waggoner.

H.A. Cahn, "The Art of Cretan Die-Engravers"

A.E.M. Johnston, "The So-Called 'Pseudo-Autonomous' Greek
Imperials"

D.G. Sellwood

Commentators

5:00-7:30 RECEPTION AND EXHIBIT PREVIEW, ANS

Saturday, September 10

9:30-12:30 SECOND SESSION. Chaired by W.E. Metcalf.

P.J. Casey

P. Bastien, "Imitations of Roman Coins, A.D. 318-63"

Giles F. Carter, "Calculations from Die Link Statistics"

Commentators

12:30 LUNCHEON ON THE TERRACE

1:30-4:30 THIRD SESSION. Chaired by M.L. Bates.

W.R.O. Hahn

P. Grierson, "The Role of Coinage in Carolingian Europe"

T. Noonan, "The Dirham Hoards from Medieval Russia in Compar-
ative Perspective"

Commentators

4:30 CLOSING

Registration

All persons interested in attending the Society's 125th Anniversary Celebration should complete the attached registration form and return it to the ANS by *June 1, 1983*.

The registration fee of \$20 (\$12 for accompanying persons) includes admission to all sessions, lunch on Friday and Saturday and an invitation to the exhibition reception on Friday evening. Payment must be made in U.S. funds.

Hotel Information

Special rates for Celebration participants have been arranged at two convenient New York hotels.

The New York Statler, 7th Avenue at 33rd Street, New York, NY 10001 (Tel: 212/736-5000) is located in midtown, convenient to the major department stores as well as the IRT Broadway 1 subway line with an exit at Audubon Terrace. Rates are: \$65, single; \$75, twin/double.

The Excelsior Hotel, located at 45 West 81st Street, New York, NY 10024 (Tel: 212/362-9200), is just west of Central Park and faces the American Museum of Natural History. It is a short walk to the IRT subway. Rates are: \$43, single; \$53, double. All hotel rates are subject to an occupancy tax of \$2 per person plus 8.25% sales tax.

Reservations for either hotel should be made directly, either using forms available from the ANS or by letter, requesting the rate noted above for the "American Numismatic Society 125th Anniversary Celebration." Early reservations are encouraged to assure availability of rooms at these special rates.

ANS 125th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION
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